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Various forms of excursion tickets to St. Louis via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, now on sale from Fairmont as follows:

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Meals at all hours.  
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Open day and night.

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Pressing, Cleaning, Repairing and Dyeing.

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Teas, Spices, Refined Coffee's and Granite and Queensware. Special Attention to Customers.

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## BRYAN'S VIEW OF NOMINATION.

"I have nothing to take back, I have nothing to withdraw of the things that I have said against the methods pursued to advance his candidacy. It was a plain and deliberate attempt to deceive the party. The New York platform was vague and purposely so, because the advocates of Judge Parker were trying to secure votes from among the people who would have opposed his views had they known them. \* \* \* The nomination was secured, therefore, by crooked and indefensible methods."—William Jennings Bryan, in "The Commonwealth," July 13, 1904.

## Who Will Be President?

Some persons do not seem to understand how to vote in the West Virginian's guessing contest. It is really a very simple proposition and easily understood. On page eight will be found a coupon which may be used in sending in your estimate. The guesses are coming in right along now, so send yours in before you forget it. Do not forget the offer to give a person guesses for getting new subscribers. Read the offer over again and send in the guesses.

Right in beauty of design, finish and price. Come in and be convinced. Fairmont Furniture Company. Opposite postoffice.

## THE STATE TICKET IN CONTRAST.

The Leading Facts Concerning the Candidates Concisely Stated.

### REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

**For Governor—W. M. O. Dawson.**  
A man of wide experience; of discerning judgment; of careful business habits. One who knows the needs and conditions of all classes and is deeply interested in their welfare; author of the corporation bill which bears his name, and which is one of the best revenue producing bills on the State's statute books. He is well acquainted with every part of the State, and would make an ideal governor.

**For Auditor—Arnold C. Scherr.**  
One of the most efficient officials the State ever had; a broad-minded, liberal-hearted, whole-souled man, whom everybody likes. He has been weighed in the balances and not found wanting; his reports are models in neatness and accuracy.

**For Secretary of State—Charles W. Swisher.**

There is no other like him. He has been conspicuous and successful in various capacities; was in turn farmer, coal miner, promoter and developer; served as town councilman, member of House of Delegates and State Senator. He is well acquainted with business interests and conditions in all parts of the State.

**For Treasurer—J. Newton Ogden.**  
A practical business man and former member of the House of Delegates. He is well known and well respected. He comes from a section which is making rapid progress. He stands for enterprise and development, and is well worthy of the highest confidence.

**For Attorney General—Clark W. May.**  
President of the State Senate; a good lawyer, a clever gentleman and fine example of what a man of pluck, energy and endurance can accomplish. He has been successful because he deserves to be. He has a big heart and a clear brain.

**For State Superintendent of Free Schools—Thos. C. Miller.**  
Professor Miller is a school man through and through; he has been public school teacher, city superintendent, university professor, institute instructor and contributor to educational literature. He is a scholarly and accomplished gentleman who is a credit to the State. He ranks high as an educator among school men all over the country.

**For Judges of the Supreme Court—Frank Cox and J. M. Sanders.**  
Here again we find the Republicans have been peculiarly fortunate in selection of nominees. Both are well known and able men; will fill the exalted positions with great credit and sustain the high esteem in which the State judiciary is held. They are exceptionally strong men.

**RETURN OF CARDINAL SATOLLI AND HIS PARTY**  
Praises the World's Fair and is Grati-fied With His Reception While in America.

ROME, Aug. 26.—Cardinal Satolli, and party arrived here Tuesday from Naples. The Cardinal returns to Rome not only satisfied, but charmed by his visit to the United States, where, he said, "from one corner to another, everywhere, I was received with great respect and the most cordial hospitality from all classes of the people. Catholics and non-Catholics alike."

"I was especially pleased with my visit to the St. Louis Fair, where I remarked two particulars—namely: the large place given to educational matters and the great space given to the Philippines, with feelings of admiration, esteem and confidence in the progress and growing prosperity of the United States. While I feel for America a degree of affection and gratitude, which will accompany me throughout my life, I must say that to-day the United States has a delicate and grave task to perform before the civilized world—namely: to educate Filipinos to a new social and political life, rendering them more advanced in economic prosperity, which may grow very fast considering the immense variety and richness of their products, while watching that their civilization has religion as an unchangeable base."

"In this way in a few years the Philippines may form a strong and prosperous nation, inspired by justice, liberty and morality, and become a worthy daughter of the great American commonwealth, which will thus prove that in setting foot in the Philippines it did not intend conquest, but to undertake a high civilizing duty."

Visit our department of granite, tin, galvanized, aluminum and queensware and kitchen utensils, on second floor in Jacobs-Hutchinson block, and you will find these lines complete and prices low. J. L. Hall's Hardware Store.

### DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.

**For Governor—John J. Cornwell.**  
A man with strong prejudices and narrow views; a "white man's party" advocate, who despises fifteen thousand of West Virginia's citizens; one of very limited means, and unacquainted with industrial conditions outside of Hampshire county, which is barren of industries and modern developments; a caustic speaker and bitter partisan who lives in a community where Republicans get very scant credit or consideration.

**For Auditor—W. L. Mansfield.**  
A well meaning man, editor of a county newspaper in the county of Wayne. He has not been in touch with the State's great development by reason of his environment, consequently he would have a great deal to learn in trying to be auditor.

**For Secretary of State—W. G. Peterkin.**

A man almost entirely unknown in the State, who is not especially fitted for anything, but who is a young lawyer and wanted to be attorney general. By a trade and a compromise he was switched from his original object and nominated for secretary of state. He has had comparatively no experience in business.

**For Treasurer—R. S. Carr.**  
The best known man on the Democratic ticket; a typical Southerner; a man who would come as near making public office a private snap as any one in the State. The business would be done by the boys while Uncle Bob would entertain them with stories.

**For Attorney General—L. A. Reymann.**  
The son of his father and principally known for that reason. His father is a Republican and a maker of a very good kind of beer. The son is a young fellow just out of school, who probably was never employed in a case in his life.

**For State Superintendent of Free Schools—M. D. Helmick.**  
This is probably the most incongruous nomination of all. Mr. Helmick is a back number educationally; he knows very little about schools or school people in West Virginia. He has been in the ministry for some years, and is altogether a misfit so far as the State superintendency is concerned. School people are astonished at his nomination.

**For Judges of the Supreme Court—M. H. Dent and H. W. Gilmer.**  
Judge Dent is a very excellent gentleman and has a very good record as judge; he and Col. Carr seem rather out of place on a ticket with so many novices. Mr. Gilmer may be all right and we hope he is, but he is a stranger to seven-eighths of the people of the State.

**CONFEDERATES OF THE OLD DOMINION.**  
Preparations for the Annual Meeting of the Grand Camp at Lynchburg.

LYNCHBURG, Va., Aug. 26.—The various local committees having in charge preparations for the annual meeting, in this city, Sept. 14, 15 and 16, of the Grand Camp, U. C. V., are now earnestly at work, and are leaving nothing undone that will contribute to the success of the affair.

Green Nowlin, proprietor of Booker's Warehouse, has tendered the use of that structure, and it will be handsomely decorated and fitted up for all the meetings of the Grand Camp and will be known as Confederate Hall.

The program committee will report at the next meeting of the local camp, and has requested the publication of the following interesting features of the reunion:

Oration, Rev. Dr. Randolph McKim, of Washington, D. C.; address, Gen. I. C. Walker, of Charleston, S. C., in behalf of the monument to the women of the Confederate States; report of Hon. John W. Daniel, chairman of history committee; address, Hon. George I. Christian, of Richmond, grand commander.

Among the speakers for the Sons of Veterans will be Judge R. W. T. Duke, of Charlottesville; E. Lee Trinkle, of Wytheville, commander of the Second Brigade; Hon. Allen Caperton Braxton, of Staunton; Hon. Dan P. Halsey, of Lynchburg.

The parade on Thursday afternoon will be a special feature. The line of march will be from Confederate Hall, up Main street to Fifth street, up Fifth to Court, down Court to the Soldiers' Monument, which is opposite the Court-house, from the porch of which the grand commander will review the parade. There will be several bands of music, and the famous Second Virginia Cavalry is expected to come. Col. Cary Breckinridge, of Fincastle, will be chief marshal.

## "REPAIR YOUR ROAD," GIRL TO PRESIDENT

"I INTEND TO MEND IT," RETORTED MR. ROOSEVELT TO YOUNG WOMAN WHO CHANCED TO MEET HIM.

BAYSHORE, L. I., Aug. 26.—A well known young woman of this place and a member of a prominent family, whose name is withheld, relates a chance meeting with President Roosevelt a day or so ago.

As the story, which is vouched for, goes, the young woman, with a friend at Jericho, drove to Oyster Bay, and while on their way drove into the President's private domain at Sagamore Hill. As they were under the impression that the President was in Washington, they were surprised as they were driving homeward to meet the President and Mrs. Roosevelt and two children, all on horseback. As they drove past the President smiled and raised his hat.

The young woman gave the Chief Executive a winsome smile and remarked: "This is a pretty bad piece of road."

"Yes, it is," replied President Roosevelt. "Well, I think you should repair it," answered the young woman with composure.

"I agree with you," replied the President, "and intend to do so."

## A WHIPPING CAUSES DEATH

J. D. REECE, OF LUNEBURG, A VICTIM OF REGULATION—FIVE WHITE MEN AND A NEGRO UNDER ARREST ON THE CHARGE OF MURDER.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 26.—J. D. Reece, of Lunenburg, was so severely whipped by regulators on June 16 that he died. Five white men and a negro have just been sent on to the grand jury charged with the murder.

Midnight marauders visited the home of Reece and found him asleep. His wife, the only other occupant of the house, was in another room. Reece pleaded with them to spare him, but they unmercifully whipped him on the bare back until he was exhausted, and then ordered him to leave the county in 24 hours under penalty of death.

Reece left the next day, but returned sick, three days later, to his daughter's home, and died a few days ago.

The evidence at the examination was that Mr. Reece had two sons at work and that he and his wife left out over the proceeds of their hire, and they fought over it. Mrs. Reece took the matter to her friends, and the whipping of Reece followed. It was shown by examination that Reece's illness and death were due directly to the beating he received at the hands of the regulators.

## ARMOURS GO-ING TO VIENNA FOR WINTER

WILL TAKE HOUSE FOR THEIR DAUGHTER, WHO IS A PATIENT IN DR. LORENZ'S HOSPITAL.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Announcement is made that Mr. and Mrs. J. Ogden Armour will sail for Europe on September 7, and will take a house in Vienna for the winter, where they can make a temporary home for their little daughter, Miss Lolita Armour, who is a patient in Dr. Adolph Lorenz's private hospital.

The Armours will spare no pains nor expense to aid Professor Lorenz in every way in his treatment of Lolita, who has been under the care of the Austrian surgeon and specialist for more than two months.

Mr. Armour will try to arrange his business affairs so that he and Mrs. Armour may spend the entire winter in Vienna with their daughter.

## Honors for Doctor White.

Dr. I. C. White is the recipient of many social courtesies in Brazil. The resources of the government are at his disposal, special cars, special boats and government carriages convey him from one place to another. The United States Ambassador has feted him, the scientific people make much of him and the papers are saying lots of nice things about him.—Morgantown Post.

Opera House Restaurant.  
The Opera House Restaurant has opened up again and will serve its customers as usual in first-class style. It is for both ladies and gentlemen.  
ALVA HAWKINS,  
Manager.